GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA

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SETTING UP OF POWER PROJECT IN MP
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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government proposes to set up power plants with Central assistance in district Beitul of Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which these are likely to be set up?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY (SHRI VILAS MUTTEMWAR)

(a)&(b): Two 10kW biomass gasifier based power plants have been set up in Kasai village in Betul District of Madhya Pradesh. Service connections have been provided to 73 families. In addition, 9 street lights have been installed and an Atta Chakki has been energized in the village. The power plants have been set up as part of a Test Project on Village Energy Security which has been taken up by the Forest Department of the State Government with financial support from the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy.

(c): The project was commissioned in October, 2005.